

in line 25, after "contacting" insert --to a fixed potential--;  
in line 26, cancel "planes [sic]" substitute --plane-- therefor.

On page 2, cancel line 1, substitute the following at line 1:

**--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

5 It is an object of the present invention to provide an integrated circuit--;

cancel line 4, substitute the following at line 4:

--produced with reduced outlay. Futher, it is an object of the present invention to provide a method for manufacturing--;

10 cancel lines 6-8, substitute the following at line 6:

--This object is inventively achieved in accordance with the present invention in an integrated circuit arrangement comprising a semiconductor substrate having at least one doped region, and a plane arranged on a surface of the substrate and  
15 having a number of conductive useful structures and at least one conductive filler structure, the conductive filler structure being conductively connected to the doped region.

This object is also inventively achieved in accordance with the present invention in a method for manufacturing an  
20 integrated circuit arrangement, the method comprising the steps of: forming a doped region in a semiconductor substrate; forming a plane on a surface of said semiconductor substrate by applying and structuring a conductive layer, said plane having a number of conductive  
25 useful structures and at least one conductive filler structure; producing an insulation layer surrounding and covering said conductive useful structures and said conductive filler structure; and producing a conductive connection between said conductive filler structure and said doped region.--;

30 in line 15, after "as" insert --a--;

in line 17, cancel "already" substitute --previously-- therefor;  
in line 18, after "connection" insert --of the doped region--;  
in line 20, cancel "the";  
in line 22, preceding "inventive" insert --present--;  
5 in line 24, after "determined" insert --by a--, and after "program-  
controlled" insert --determination--;  
in line 26, after "a" cancel "via" substitute --through-- therefor, and  
after "The" cancel "via" substitute --through-- therefor;  
in line 29, preceding "hole" cancel "via" substitute --through--  
10 therefor, and after "with" cancel "via" substitute --through--  
therefor.

On page 3, in line 3, cancel "current" substitute --currents-- therefor;  
in line 4, cancel "the" substitute --a-- therefor;  
in line 5, cancel "Other high-impedance eliminations via" substitute  
15 --Current elimination via other high-impedance-- therefor;  
in line 6, cancel "are" substitute --is-- therefor;  
in line 12, preceding "invention" insert --present--, and cancel "level"  
substitute --layer-- therefor;  
in line 14, cancel "level to which the filler structure is connected"  
20 substitute --layer-- therefor;  
in line 15, cancel "the further contact" substitute --a further contact,  
through which the metallization layer thus-- therefor.

On page 4, in line 1, cancel "via" substitute --through-- therefor;  
in line 3, preceding "invention" insert --present--;  
25 in line 6, after "as" insert --the--;  
in line 15, cancel "plurality" substitute --number-- therefor;  
in line 16, preceding "invention" insert --present--, and preceding  
"part" cancel "that" substitute --the-- therefor;  
in line 17, cancel "via" substitute --through-- therefor, and cancel

"are" substitute --is-- therefor;

in line 18, cancel "[sic]";

in line 22, cancel "shorts" substitute --short-circuits-- therefor;

cancel lines 23-24, substitute the following at line 23:

- 5       --       These and other features of the invention(s) will become clearer  
with reference to the following detailed description of the presently  
preferred embodiments and accompanied drawings.

**--DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--;**

10       in line 25, cancel "shows a section" substitute --is a cross-section--  
therefor;

in line 27, cancel "section" substitute --cross-section-- therefor, and  
after "substrate" insert --as shown in Figure 1--.

- On page 5, in line 1, cancel "section" substitute --cross-section--  
therefor, and after "substrate" insert --as shown in Figure 1--;
- 15       in line 5, cancel "section" substitute --cross-section-- therefor, and  
after "substrate" insert --as shown in Figure 1--;
- in line 7, cancel "section" substitute --cross-section-- therefor, and  
after "substrate" insert --as shown in Figure 1--;
- 20       in line 9, cancel "section" substitute --cross-section-- therefor, and  
after "substrate" insert --as shown in Figure 1--;
- in line 10, cancel "via" substitute --through-- therefor;
- in line 11, cancel "section" substitute --cross-section-- therefor, and  
after "substrate" insert --as shown in Figure 1--;
- in line 12, cancel "level" substitute --layer-- therefor;
- 25       in line 13, cancel "level" substitute --layer-- therefor;
- cancel line 14, substitute the following at line 14:

**--DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PRESENTLY PREFERRED  
EMBODIMENTS--;**

- 30       in line 15, cancel "Insulation" substitute --Referring to Figure 1,  
insulation-- therefor;

in line 17, cancel "(see Figure 1)", and after "trenches" insert --2--.

On page 6, in line 1, cancel "Subsequently" substitute --Referring to Figure 2, subsequently-- therefor;

in line 2, cancel "(see Figure 2)";

5 in line 7, cancel "Upon" substitute --Referring to Figure 3, upon-- therefor;

in line 9, cancel "(see Figure 3)";

in line 12, after "useful structures" insert --71--, and after "filler structures" insert --72--;

10 in line 26, cancel "Subsequently" substitute --Referring to Figure 4, subsequently-- therefor;

in line 29, cancel "(see Figure 4)".

On page 7, in line 3, cancel "Subsequently" substitute --Referring to Figure 5, subsequently-- therefor, and cancel "Via" substitute --Referring to Figure 6, through-- therefor;

15 in line 7, cancel "(see Figure 6)", and cancel "via" substitute -- through-- therefor;

in line 10, cancel "(see Figure 6)";

in line 18, cancel "Subsequently" substitute --Referring to Figure 7, subsequently-- therefor;

20 in line 19, preceding "hole" cancel "via" substitute --through-- therefor, and after "The further" cancel "via" substitute -- through-- therefor;

in line 21, cancel "level" substitute --layer-- therefor;

25 in line 22, cancel "(see Figure 7)", and cancel "level" substitute -- layer-- therefor;

below line 23, insert the following paragraph:

-- Although modifications and changes may be suggested by those of ordinary skill in the art, it is the intention of the inventors to embody within